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culosis, 4; enteritis, 4; heart disease, 2; wounds, 2; paludism, 1; old age, 1; congenital debility, 1; pulmonary hemorrhage, 1; arterial sclerosis, 1; intermittent fever, 1; malaria, 1; urinary infiltration, 1; infantile tetanus, 1; cerebral congestion, 1; hypertrophy of liver, 1. Of these deaths, 7 occurred in the civil hospital. Death rate, 29.98. The deaths this week are an increase over last week of 7.

In regard to the case of yellow fever reported by cable on the 22d instant, I have to report the following: The patient, a German-American, age 45 years, arrived here on the 16th instant, supposedly from Havana, and was admitted to the civil hospital on the 18th instant with fever, the character of which was not determined until the 21st instant, when he was removed and isolated at the lazaretto. * * *

Of the 5 cases reported this year, 3 received the infection from outside sources, the remaining 2 being infected from 1 of the above cases.

Seventeen vessels have been inspected at this port during the week. Fourteen vessels received bills of health during the week. No alien steerage passengers landed at this port during the week. The following baggage, arriving on the steamship *Reina de los Angeles*, from Havana, via Batabano, was disinfected and so labeled: Eight trunks, 24 valises, 6 bundles, 4 boxes. One hundred and thirteen pieces baggage inspected and passed for passengers to other ports. Ninety-two health certificates issued to passengers bound for other ports. Two certificates of health issued to passengers bound for New York via Havana during the week.

Santa Cruz del Sur.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports no deaths in that port during the week; no contagious diseases reported; health of port good, and 8 vessels inspected.

Casilda.—No report.

Respectfully,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Case at Trinidad reported as yellow fever decided to be catarrhal jaundice.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, September 24, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that in looking over the reports from Casilda, a subport of this station, I learned that the diagnosis in the case of yellow fever reported at Trinidad on July 2, 1900, was a mistake, the attending physician considering it a case of debility with catarrhal jaundice. This case was mentioned as one of yellow fever in my supplementary report, submitted September 19, 1900, and for the above reason should not be included.

Respectfully,

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Report from Havana.

HAVANA, CUBA, September 24, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions at this station for the week ended September 22, 1900:

There have been 9 deaths from yellow fever during the week and the number of new cases occurring is a slight increase over that of the week previous, 18 new cases being reported as occurring on the 20th instant, which is the largest number reported for any one day this month.